

Section I:
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.121 to the
CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A method for transferring content from one computer resource to another computer resource, comprising the steps of:
receiving a user command to enable automatic cutting-and-pasting in a destination first, source second sequence, with user enablement of automatic natural language translation;
subsequent to receiving said command and enablement, receiving a user selection of one or more insertion points in the contents of a destination computer resource via a destination user interface, said computer resource consisting of an electronic document;
subsequent to receiving said user-selected insertion points, receiving a user selection of one or more information elements via a source user interface;
intercepting [[the]] transfer of said one or more information elements ~~selected from a source~~ to [[a]] said destination;
determining [[if each]] which intercepted information ~~element is~~ elements are expressed in a natural language ~~which matches~~ not matching a user-specified natural language;
performing one or more natural language handling actions on information said elements which do not match said user specified natural language as defined by one or more natural language handling rules; and
transferring any information elements to said destination which have been translated to said user specified natural language as a result of said handling actions.
2. (original) The method as set forth in Claim 1 wherein said handling actions comprise isolating certain information elements according to said handling rules, thereby blocking their transfer to said destination.

3. (original) The method as set forth in Claim 1 wherein said handling actions comprise determining an original natural language in which each intercepted information elements is expressed, and subsequently invoking a computer translation process to translate each item from said original natural language to said user-specified natural language.
4. (original) The method as set forth in Claim 1 further comprising the steps of:
 - invoking a rule management user interface responsive to finding no existing natural language handling rule for an information element to be transferred; and
 - allowing, via said rule management user interface, a user to define an action to be taken selected from the list of invoking a natural language translation process, allowing transfer without modification, and isolating said information element.

5. (currently amended) A computer readable medium encoded with software for transferring content from one computer resource to another computer resource, said software performing the steps of:
- receiving a user command to enable automatic cutting-and-pasting in a destination first, source second sequence, with user enablement of automatic natural language translation;
 - subsequent to receiving said command and enablement, receiving a user selection of one or more insertion points in the contents of a destination computer resource via a destination user interface, said computer resource consisting of an electronic document;
 - subsequent to receiving said user-selected insertion points, receiving a user selection of one or more information elements via a source user interface;
 - intercepting ~~[[the]]~~ transfer of said ~~one or more~~ information elements selected ~~from a source~~ to ~~[[a]]~~ said destination;
 - determining ~~[[if each]]~~ which intercepted information ~~element is~~ elements are expressed in a natural language ~~which matches~~ not matching a user-specified natural language;
 - performing one or more natural language handling actions on said information elements which do not match said user specified natural language as defined by one or more natural language handling rules; and
 - transferring any information elements to said destination which have been translated to said user specified natural language as a result of said handling actions.
6. (original) The computer readable medium as set forth in Claim 5 wherein said software for performing natural language handling actions comprises software for isolating certain information elements according to said handling rules, thereby blocking their transfer to said destination.
7. (original) The computer readable medium as set forth in Claim 5 wherein said software for performing natural language handling actions comprises software for determining an original natural language in which each intercepted

information elements is expressed, and for subsequently invoking a computer translation process to translate each item from said original natural language to said user-specified natural language.

8. (original) The computer readable medium as set forth in Claim 5 further comprising software for performing the steps of:

invoking a rule management user interface responsive to finding no existing natural language handling rule for an information element to be transferred; and

allowing, via said rule management user interface, a user to define an action to be taken selected from the list of invoking a natural language translation process, allowing transfer without modification, and isolating said information element.

9. (currently amended) A cut-and-paste system for transferring content from one computer resource to another computer resource, comprising:

a command received from a user to enable automatic cutting-and-pasting in a destination first, source second sequence, with a user enablement of automatic natural language translation;

a user destination selection received subsequent to said command, said source selection including one or more insertion points in the contents of a destination computer resource via a destination user interface, said computer resource consisting of an electronic document;

a user source selection, received subsequent user-selected destinations, said source selection including one or more information elements via a source user interface;

intercepting [[the]] transfer of ~~said one or more~~ information elements selected from a source to [[a]] ~~said~~ destination;

an information transfer interceptor configured to intercept ~~said one or more~~ information elements in transit from [[a]] ~~said~~ source computer resource to [[a]] ~~said~~ destination computer resource via a transfer buffer;

a natural language comparator ~~adapted~~ configured to identify which intercepted information elements are not originally expressed in a natural language which matches a user-specified natural language;

a natural language handler which performs one or more natural handling actions on said identified information elements as defined by one or more handling rules; and

an information element deliverer configured to transfer information elements to said destination as defined by one or more handling rules.

10. (currently amended) The system as set forth in Claim 9 wherein said handler is further adapted configured to isolate certain information elements according to said handling rules, thereby blocking their transfer to said destination, and where said cut-and-paste system further comprises an isolation data store for receiving and storing said isolated information elements.

11. (original) The system as set forth in Claim 9 wherein said handler is further configured to determine an original natural language in which each intercepted information elements is expressed, and to subsequently invoke a computer translation process to translate each item from said original natural language to said user-specified natural language.
12. (currently amended) The system as set forth in Claim 9 further comprising a rule management user interface ~~for allowing~~, configured to allow a user to define an actions to be taken on designated types of information elements, including at least one action selected from the group of creation of new handling rule, deleting a handling rule, copying a handling rule, and modifying a handling rule.
13. (original) The system as set forth in Claim 12 wherein said rule management user interface is manually invoked by said user.
14. (original) The system as set forth in Claim 12 wherein said rule management user interface is automatically invoked responsive to finding no existing natural language handling rule for an intercepted information element.